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SUBJECT: CONDOLENCE MESSAGE

PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON TO PRIME
MINISTER MEIR

"DEAR MADAM PRIME MINISTER

I WANT TO EXPRESS MY PROFOUND SORROW AND REGRET, AND THAT
OF ALL AMERICANS, AT THE TRAGIC DEATH OF YOUR ASSISTANT
ARMED FORCES ATTACHE IN WASHINGTON, COLONEL YOSEF ALON.
OUR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO DE-
VOTE ALL AVAILABLE RESOURCES TO THE INVESTIGATION OF THIS
BRUTAL ACT. PLEASE EXTEND MY DEEP CONDOLENCES TO THE
FAMILY OF COLONEL ALON. OUR THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU AS YOUR
GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE MOURN THE TRAGIC DEATH OF THIS BRAVE
OFFICER OF YOUR DEFENSE FORCES.

RICHARD M. NIXON"

WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION
IF GOI DOES SO. ROGERS

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